GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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BAN ON INDIAN COMPANIES BY US
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government has taken/proposes to take steps for the rescue of the Indian companies banned by America on the issue of violation of international export laws; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) & (b): The US Government on 27th December 2005 announced sanctions on two Indian companies and on 4th August 2006 on another two Indian companies under their national law. The matter has been taken up with the US Government.